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Reference: April Quarterly Report (1/1/02-3/31/02)

Dear Mr. Berger:

On February 12, 2003 you were notified that a review of the above-referenced report(s) raised questions as to specific contributions and/or expenditures, and the reporting of certain information required by the Federal Election Campaign Act.

Due to recent events, the United States Postal Service is experiencing delays in the processing and delivery of mail for the Washington D.C. area. Please contact the Senate Public Records Office at (202) 224-0322 on how and where to file an amendment. You can verify the receipt of any documents submitted by your committee on the FEC website at www.FEC.gov.

The Commission acknowledges your Amended April Quarterly Report dated January 14, 2003 corrected the excessive contributions; however, you still need to adequately address the remaining issues in the letter referenced above. The Commission is in receipt of your letter dated January 14, 2003. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by March 26, 2003. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions related to this matter, please contact Leah Palmer on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the